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In re Application of
FRIEDLAND et al.Serial No. : **09/307,187**

Group Art Unit: 3623

Filed: **05/07/1999**

Examiner: Rebecca M. Bachner

For: COMPUTER IMPLEMENTED RESOURCE ALLOCATION MODEL AND PROCESS TO
DYNAMICALLY AND OPTIMALLY SCHEDULE AN ARBITRARY NUMBER OF
RESOURCES SUBJECT TO AN ARBITRARY NUMBER OF CONSTRAINTS IN THE
MANAGED CARE, HEALTH CARE AND/OR PHARMACY INDUSTRYSUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENTHonorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

This Supplemental Amendment is being filed before an Office Action following filing of the RCE together with a Preliminary Amendment in the above-referenced application. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Please amend the claims as indicated on the attached Appendix A. Also attached is the full set of claims including the amended claims, in Appendix B.

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HONORABLE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Amendment in the above identified application.

[] No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	79	26	53	x \$18.00 =	\$954.00
Independent Claims	3	0	0	x \$84 =	\$0
If multiple claims newly presented, add \$280.00					
Fee for extension of time					
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$954.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 08-0219 in the amount of \$954.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Applicant(s): **Kenneth M. FRIEDLAND et al.**

Serial No. **09/307,187**

Filing Date: **May 7, 1999**

Entitled: **Computer Implemented Resource Allocation Model and Process to Dynamically and Optimally Schedule an Arbitrary Number of Resources Subject to an Arbitrary Number of Constraints in the Managed Care, Health Care and/or Pharmacy Industry**

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RECEIPT IS ACKNOWLEDGED FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL (\$954.00);
- SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT (with ATTACHMENTS A and B); AND
- POSTCARD EVIDENCING THE SAME.

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